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**DECLARATION**

As the below-named inventor, I declare that:

My residence, post office address, and citizenship are as stated below under my

name.

I believe I am the original, first, and sole inventor of the invention entitled "FLUID LEVEL SENSING APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR A SPRAY APPLICATOR," which is described and claimed in the application and claims of Patent Application No. 10/738,916, which I filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on December 16, 2003 and for which a patent is sought.

I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified application, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to herein (if any).

I acknowledge my duty to disclose information of which I am aware which is material to patentability and examination of this application in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(a).

I further declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further, that these statements were made with the knowledge that the making of willfully false statements and the like is punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and may jeopardize the validity of any patent issuing from this patent application.


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PATENT

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Applicant : Clifford W. Turnbull

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Title : FLUID LEVEL SENSING APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR A SPRAY
APPLICATOR

Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**ELECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 3.71 AND 3.73(b) AND POWER OF ATTORNEY**

Sir:

The undersigned, being Assignee of the entire interest in the above-identified application by virtue of an Assignment filed concurrently herewith, hereby elects, under 37 C.F.R. § 3.71, to prosecute the application to the exclusion of the inventors.

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b), the undersigned duly authorized designee of Assignee certifies that the evidentiary documents have been reviewed, specifically the

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Assignment to Trade Associates, Inc., filed concurrently herewith for recording, a copy of which is attached hereto, and certifies that to the best of my knowledge and belief, title remains in the name of the Assignee.

Trade Associates, Inc.
ASSIGNEE

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DATE



Name: William N. Turnbull
Title: President

Enclosure:

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